

## ABSTRACT

- There is provided a pharmaceutical composition for therapeutic or prophylactic administration to a subject having an infective disease or condition or at risk thereof. The composition comprises an aqueous carrier having in solution therein
- 5 (a) an oxazolidinone antimicrobial drug, for example linezolid, in a therapeutically or prophylactically effective drug concentration that is above the practical limit of solubility of the drug in a substantially isotonic aqueous solution at a physiologically compatible pH, and (b) a pharmaceutically acceptable cyclodextrin compound in a concentration sufficient to maintain the drug in solution at such a drug concentration.
- 10 The composition is particularly useful for intravenous delivery of the drug.